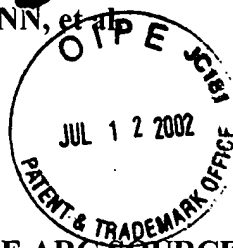


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Applicant(s): David Ian FLYNN, et al
 Application No.: 10/014,387
 Filed: December 11, 2001
 Title: **FILTERED CATHODE ARC SOURCE
 DEPOSITION APPARATUS**

Attorney Docket No.: 18240/Mathys

Group Art Unit:



RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
 Washington, D.C. 20231
 Attention: Box Missing Parts

Sir:

This is in response to a Notice to File Missing Parts of Application under 37 CFR 1.53(f). Enclosed is a copy of said Notice and the following documents and fees to complete the filing requirements of the above-identified application.

- (X) Three (3) Executed Declaration and Power of Attorney. The above-identified application is the same application which the inventor executed by signing the enclosed declaration.
- (X) Submission of Declaration & Petition Under Rule 47(a)
- (X) Declaration Under Rule 47(a) of Alan Israel.
- (X) Missing Parts Surcharge \$130.00.
- (X) Petition Fee of Rule 17(h) for \$130.00.
- (X) A Petition for Extension of Time for reply to Notice of Missing Parts is attached.
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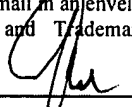
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 Serial No. : 10/014,387 Group Art Unit:
 Filed : December 11, 2001 Examiner:
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Attached hereto for filing in this application are three executed patent declarations signed by four of the inventors and on behalf of a missing fifth inventor, a copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts, the late filing surcharge of Rule 16(l) of \$130.00, the petition fee of Rule 17(h) of \$130.00, this Petition and a declaration under Rule 47(a).

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Wherefore, a favorable action is earnestly solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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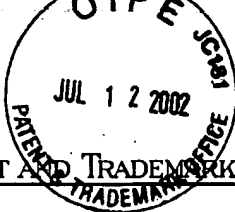


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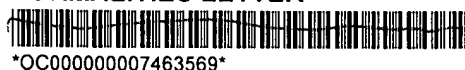


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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 130.**

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